

Exercise: DRAYTON TYRO

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5. Radiological Defence Services.
6. Municipal Fire Department and Auxiliary.
7. Municipal Police Department and Auxiliary.
8. Municipal Engineer.
9. Communications Services.
10. Transportation Officer.

b. In addition a study of the operational relationship between the representatives of the Federal War Supplies Agency and National Emergency Manpower Authority with the municipal authorities.

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a. Exercise "DRAYTON TYRO" will be held on 27 May 1966, between 11 and 4 p.m.
b. Temp - The exercise will be conducted at a slow pace so that participants time to consider problems presented and to familiarize them with the procedures for handling same.

OBSERVERS
5. Invited observers will be required at Civil Defence headquarters in the Town Hall between 10:30 and 11 a.m. on 27 May 1966, and thereafter will be guided by Mr. Albert Braden, Chief Information Officer. No transport will be provided for their movement from scene to scene.

CONTROL
6. A. Mr. A. Miles, Emergency Measures Co-ordinator will exercise control over all aspects of Exercise DRAYTON TYRO.

b. Higher control staff (Zone Headquarters, Army etc.) will be provided by Alberta Emergency Measures. For the duration of the exercise ZONE HEADQUARTERS telephone number will be 542-3370. DO NOT place calls to EDMONTON OR CAM ROSE.

ADMINISTRATION
7. Administrative instruction cards are attached at Annex "A".

REAL EMERGENCY
8. The exercise may be cancelled by the Co-ordinator in the event of real emergency.

FOUL WEATHER ROUTINE
9. In the event of foul weather the Co-ordinator may issue instructions changing or cancelling portions of the exercise.

Drayton Valley, Alberta.
A. W. Miles, Emergency Measures Co-ordinator.

NORTHWESTERN UTILITIES.

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has been with the company since 1959. He is a graduate of Calgary, Alberta and the University of Alberta, where he received his Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering.

After a number of years in the company's engineering department Mr. Collier was appointed transmission engineer in 1964. He became the company's senior engineer and then, in 1965, was appointed manager of production and transmission.

Mr. Metcalfe has been corporate secretary of Northwest since 1948. He first joined the company in 1937, serving with Canadian Western Natural Gas Company in Lethbridge. He was transferred to Edmonton in 1935 as a assistant accountant and became a full accountant in 1940. He continued to act as the company's corporate secretary in addition to his new duties as treasurer of Northwest Utilities.

Things We Print

- Bills
- Tags
- Bonds
- Drafts
- Badges
- Births
- Booklets
- Placards
- Cheques
- Circulars
- Vouchers
- Programs
- Handbills
- Pamphlets
- Bill Heads
- Invitations
- Price Lists
- Statements
- Catalogues
- Post Cards
- Blank Notes
- Milk Tickets
- Note Heads
- Filing Cards
- Legal Forms
- Legal Blanks
- Menu Cards
- Meal Tickets
- Score Cards
- Memo Blanks
- Order Blanks
- Letter Heads
- Laundry Lists
- Show Printing
- Funeral Cards
- Business Cards
- Visiting Cards
- Shipping Tags
- Menu Booklets
- Window Cards
- Store Sale Bills
- Truckers' Forms
- Church Reports
- Greeting Cards
- Dance Programs
- Gummed Labels
- Reception Cards
- Posters, all sizes
- At Home Cards
- Admission Tickets
- Auditor's Reports
- Auction Sale Bills
- Society Stationery
- Admission Tickets
- Ungummed Labels
- Financial Statements
- Wedding Invitations
- By-laws and Constitutions

Everything In Printing

THE PEMBINA
NEWS
ADVERTISER
Phone 642-2405 Drayton Valley, Alta.

The cameraman snaked up on Deane - Thompson and Vera Braden at the Curl-O-Rama Buffet and Dance, the evening of May 7th.

Drayton Valley

BANNER

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What Is Your Chamber of Commerce Doing?

Your Drayton Valley and District Chamber of Commerce is not one bit ashamed to let its past record stand and speak for itself but it is far more interested in what lies ahead and what projects are underway in the mill and have a great deal to do before the end of 1966.

Some of our projects are:
1. As the result of cooperation and very hard work on the part of one of our contributors, a Nursing Home for Chronic Patients appears almost certain to be constructed soon.

2. Plans are under way for a highway interchange to Drayton Valley, Alberta, which will be a great deal of work to be done in the future if we are to succeed.

3. Plans are being made to get the Canadian National Railway to "give" a new station to the town of Drayton Valley and at our last meeting, it was decided that, provided we could support our request with valid reasoning, the matter would be referred to consideration. This is now being given a great deal of effort.

4. In connection with our previously mentioned interest in Vocational Training, the Chamber of Commerce has acted as local sponsor for the

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The Pembina District Cub Scout Association is to hold a District Cub Rally in Swanton, Ontario, on Saturday, May 20th, with the rally starting at 1:00 p.m.

Cub Packs from Lodgepole, Canby, and Drayton Valley, San Geronimo, May 20th, will compete in 10 events for the Pembina District Cub Rally Trophy. Last year's winners of the coveted Trophy were the Drayton Valley Cub Pack.

Nearly 300 boys, ages from 8 to 12, will be taking their "dead level" test in their Packs to take home this trophy.

Parents are cordially invited to attend this rally for the day, or for at least part of the day.

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ANNUAL INSPECTION TIME came again for the local Air Cadet Squadron with about 100 members of the squadron and their parents and friends gathered at the Legion Hall where the inspection and award ceremony was held. The inspection was held on May 14th and was very successful. The inspection was held on May 14th and was very successful. The inspection was held on May 14th and was very successful.

The Secretary made a report on the progress of our Dog Control Program. He reported that 208 licenses had been sold for 1965 and (Cont. on Page 3, Col. 1)

DRAYTON TYRO

At Drayton Valley approach "zero" hour for our full scale E.M.O. exercise. We now appeal to all citizens to seriously examine their own Family Survival Plans, and perhaps take time to test that plan during the exercise.

For example, when the "alert" sounds, what do you plan to do? When the "take cover" sounds, what is your plan for your family?

Here's what will happen that will involve you. On Thursday, May 27, when the alert sounds, our school buses will be used. All buses will be called in. All children will be evacuated to their homes. Please be expecting them and be on hand, at home. This or some modification should be a part of your family plan.

Once you have your children at home, how would you and your family like to take part in the exercise? This would be most enjoyable for you and help our E.M.O. to put on a good show.

If you have a spare car at home, how about driving out of town a mile or so, and then drive in as though you were an evacuee from the school. This will help test our E.M.O. Registration, Welfare and feeding services. You will have a good time by getting into a spirit of things and once registered will be fed free of charge by our E.M.O. feeding unit, by being an evacuee.

Remember, this is the first full scale municipal E.M.O. exercise in Western Canada. There will be Provincial and Federal Observers. Help us put on a good show.

If you feel that you'd like to take part, here's how Thursday would go:

If you're a mother:
1. Be at home or go home immediately the "alert" sounds. Long continuous blast stay there until your children arrive from school. On the way home, you may see an evacuee from school. Go and get them and take them home, as soon as you hear the "take cover" sound. Wait for the "take cover" sound, and then take your children, drive out into the country a few miles, then return to Drayton Valley as an "evacuee." You will be guided in welfare services, registered, clothed, if needed and fed at E.M.O. feeding unit.

If you're a father:
1. When you hear the alert, if you are the one who customarily picks up your children from school, go and get them. Take them home. You may return to work if necessary as the "take cover" sound. If your wife is wishing to take a role as an evacuee, with the family, plan to stay at E.M.O. feeding unit.

2. When the "take cover" sounds, you would normally put your family plan into action. On Thursday, you could plan to meet your family at the E.M.O. welfare and register with them and eat at the E.M.O. feeding unit with them.

If you enjoyed the first time drive out into the country and become another evacuee.

H. W. Pickup
Mayor, Town of Drayton Valley

Swimming Pool Headlines

By: Carol's Lindkors.
We do urge you to register without delay for the July - August classes so we can offer you a definite program as soon as possible.

May and June Public Swim Schedule:
Monday - Friday 7 p.m. - 8 p.m.; 7 p.m. - 8 p.m. Adults only 50¢ p.m. - 10 p.m. Saturday and Sunday 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.; 7 p.m. - 10 p.m. Early Bird Club - 6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Huggins (Competitive) Club - 8 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Unfavourable weather conditions has kept the lifeguards observing and participants active during the first four days of operation the pool was an exciting "promising" area for 90% percent. 30 adults, 800 students, 1000 children.

There are many wonderful opportunities available to develop one's skill and interest in the "world of water." It is our wish that you will find some phase of the program desirable.

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WANT ADS

Professional Directory

PHYSICIANS and SURGEONS

DRAYTON VALLEY

Medical Centre

Dr. Hugh MacIure
M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.T.M.B.

Dr. David J. Lewis
M.B., B.S., L.M.C.C.

MONDAY THRU SATURDAY
OFFICE HOURS - 9:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
HOURS OF CONSULTATION: 11:00 A.M. - 12:00 NOON,
AND BY APPOINTMENT 1:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
OFFICE: OPPOSITE HUDSON'S BAY
RES. - Dr. MacIure - 542-3381
RES. - Dr. Lewis - 542-3712

Dr. M. Spector

OPTIC PRST
IN MEDICAL CENTRE ON ALTERNATE WEDNESDAYS

Dr. Ian G. Waugh
M.A., B.S., B. CH., (OXON)

Dr. G. Stuart Cameron
B.A., M.D.

MONDAY THRU SATURDAY
HOURS OF CONSULTATION: 10:00 A.M. - 12:00 A.M.,
3:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.

AND BY APPOINTMENT
OFFICE LOCATED IN LLOYD'S JEWELLERY BUILDING
PHONE - 542-3475 RESIDENCE - 542-3151

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Drayton Valley, Alta.

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1053113

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WHITE, TROTT & WHITE

BARRISTER and SOLICITORS

The Practice of Law in the J.J. Fitzgerald Building
Drayton Valley, PHONE: 542 - 4235, Walter B.
White in attendance, Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

TRAVEL

* Crashed Gravel
* Fine Grade-Bits Run Gravel
* Fill Gravel
* Fill Dirt
* Excavating, Loading
and Hauling
* REASONABLE RATES.

LATOKY CONSTRUCTION
AND GRAVEL LTD.
PHONE: 542-3125, Drayton
Valley, Alberta.

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PARK FOR BETTER LIVING
INC. PHONE: 542-3995.

WANTS SOME TH.

Cash & Merchandise
BLACKOUT

BINGO

Grand Prize: \$2,000
plus additional prizes

Numbers Called To Date:

B	1	N	G	O
1	10	32	47	83
2	11	33	48	84
3	12	34	49	85
4	13	35	50	86
5	14	36	51	87
6	15	37	52	88
7	16	38	53	89
8	17	39	54	90
9	18	40	55	91
10	19	41	56	92
11	20	42	57	93
12	21	43	58	94
13	22	44	59	95
14	23	45	60	96
15	24	46	61	97
16	25	47	62	98
17	26	48	63	99
18	27	49	64	100

Bingo Cards available from
any local Drayton Valley
Lion's Member. For addi-
tional information write Box
378, Thornby, Alberta.

Business Opportunities

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY:
Rural Valley Store and Post
Office on 5 acre land, fenced,
PHONE: 542-3125, Drayton
Valley, Alberta.

Dr. H. Stumback - Dentist

MON, TUE, WED, THUR, FRI, SAT,
10:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.,
10:00 P.M. - 1:00 A.M.
THUR, & SAT, 9:00 A.M.,
10:00 P.M. - 1:00 A.M.
BUSINESS PHONE: 542-
3559, RESIDENCE PHONE:
542-3560.
located street door to Post
Office.

PERSONAL

STANDING STUD - A men-
tal mobile brand, Palomino,
Stallion, Redwood's, Royal
or other. Price \$1,000.00. 1
mile west on pavement and
1 1/2 miles west.

WANTED

FOR SALE: Camping Trailer
or similar with propane
heating, water system, 110
amp 12 volt lighting, new
tires. Ideal for family of
four. PHONE: 542-3026

WANTED

WANTED: Cravel truck Driv-
er, non-drinker, steady em-
ployment to right man.
PHONE: 542-3026.

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DRAYTON VALLEY, ALTA.

I HAVE TAKEN OVER THE BACKHOE OPERATED BY THE LATE
FRANK YORK AND FOR A TIME WILL BE OPERATING UNDER
THE ABOVE NAME.

I RESPECTFULLY SOLICIT THE BUSINESS OF PAST CUSTOMERS
GARRY GOUCH

Sale By Tender

Two Four Room Houses - 820 Square feet each complete
with forced air heating and plumbing, full concrete base-
ment and two stall attached garages. Located in the Town
of Drayton Valley, Alberta. To be sold on an as is where
it cash basis with a minimum bid of \$8,000 net per house.
Please submit written sealed tenders to the undersigned
not later than 10:00 A.M. June 25, 1965. Terms of sale -
Cash within 30 days of acceptance of offer.

The highest or any bid not necessarily accepted.

Pat American Petroleum Corporation
Box 990, Drayton Valley, Alberta.
PHONE: 542-3231.

HANDY AL

NEW: Concrete Sidewalk - 500 sq. ft.
Concrete Driveway - 500 sq. ft.
Concrete Curb & Gutters - \$1.70 Lineal ft.

Erection New Fences - Labor only from 20¢ ft. up.

Small Carpentry Jobs and Painting.

A. G. CHRISTMAN PHONE: 542-3216.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: To be moved.
frame building approximately
30' x 30'. Located north of
Saba Beach School. Known
as the Old Power Plant.
Write or telephone CAP-
sary Power Ltd., 10121-
110 Street, Edmonton,
Alberta.

FOR SALE: Lovely 3 bedroom
home, 800 square feet. Double
garage, 1st floor and back-
yard. Phone: 542-3972
or 542-3746.

FOR SALE: 12 ft. Aluminum
boat. Also 3 ft. Johnson
Outboard Motor. Pk 542-
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Club Events

LEGION CALENDAR

BINGO - SATURDAY, MAY 20, 1965
JACKPOT - \$75.00
May be won during any 10 Games.

FOR MAIL RESERVATIONS PHONE: 542-3464

The Royal Canadian Legion

BRANCH No. 269

VETERANS' CHAMPION

The Royal Canadian Legion guards the rights of
ALL war veterans, young and old—of the
Army, Navy and Air Force, and the Merchant
Marine and Women's Services too.

If you are eligible for membership in the
Royal Canadian Legion—Join Now!

Attention!

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION
(Drayton Valley Community Kindergarten)
FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 1965

Child must be 5 years of age or before December 31, 1966.

Registration Fee—\$1.00

GOLF LESSONS

IF APPLICATIONS WARRANT GIL GARCIA
WILL CONDUCT A GOLF SCHOOL AT THE
DRAYTON VALLEY GOLF COURSE.

PLEASE CONTACT JIM McMASTER PHONE:
542-3168 for information.

TOWN PLANS DUST LAYING PROGRAM.

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that gradually the system
being initiated seems to be
granting a better and better
state of control.

The Mayor gave a report
on the dusting program to
the town council. It was re-
commended that the pro-
gram be continued.

The Secretary made a re-
port on findings regarding
eliminating boulevard in
front of Solo Stores on 30th
Street in that the Engineer
advises that this would not
provide sufficient room for
diagonal parking and recort
mounds that no change be
made in this side and regar-
d the south of the north be
levelled, graded and grave
filled to facilitate custom
or parking.

The Council was informed
of E. M. O. meeting Friday
evening at 8:00 p.m. All
department heads to be in
attendance for briefing on
Executive being held on May
27, 1965. All requested to be
in attendance for this meet-
ing as it is to be a rehearsal
of the real exercise.

The regulations regarding Cen-
tral Council are being con-
sidered for information. It
was recommended that a pro-
cess of waiver be provided
for local improvement stud-
ies.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Very nice 4 bed-
room suite, available May
24th. PHONE: 542-3053 or
542-3053 after six.

FOR RENT: Trailer 6 ft. x 12 ft.
and cabin (furnished) Pen-
nina Parkway.

FOR RENT: one bedroom
suite all utilities, stove
and fridge. PHONE: 542-
3430 after six. 542-3434

ROOM FOR RENT: Gentlemen
Private bath and entrance.
PHONE: 542-3021.

FOR RENT: Very nice large
3 bedroom suite, washer
dryer, stove and utilities
included. \$35.00 per month.
PHONE: 542-4072

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom, playpen,
small crib, pram horse etc.
PHONE: 542-3776.

FOR RENT: 1967 Dodge, 6
cyl. reconditioned motor.
Can be seen at Double B
Farm Supplies, Drayton Val-
ley, Alberta.

MUST SELL - 8 x 40 house-
holder with attached 12 x 20
3 room add-on on lot with
all utilities, prepaid. Any
reasonable offer accepted.
PHONE: 542-3363.

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FOR SALE: 20 x 24 Skid -
house. PHONE: 542-4215

FOR SALE: Quantity of 4' x 4'
x 10' long cedar posts. Some
are painted and bottom 2 ft.
penned. PHONE: 542-
3053 or 542-3053.

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Old Age Pension

In January, 1968 some 7,000 Alberta residents 65 years of age will receive their first Old Age Security Pension cheque.

They will receive the first large group to benefit from recent changes lowering the age limit on Old Age Security (OAS) from 70 to 65. Those aged 65 will become eligible and so forth until by 1970 the pension will be paid to everyone over 65 who has the required Canadian residence.

To receive the pension, a person must apply, using the standard application form available at all Post Offices. There is no charge for this form. Those who are receiving an Old Age Allowance pension need not apply as the Provincial Pension Authorities will apply on their behalf.

The applications should be submitted six months before the expected date of payment. In the case of residents of Alberta and the Yukon and Northwest Territories, they should be sent to the Provincial Pension Director, Old Age Security, 645 Federal Building, Edmonton, Alta.

If possible, birth or baptismal certificates should be submitted with the application. However, no one should delay applying because he has no proof of age.

Where a birth or baptismal certificate is not available, proof of age often becomes a difficult problem and so forth until by 1970 the pension will be paid to everyone over 65 who has the required Canadian residence.



"His idea of a big night out is a church supper and a rummage sale."

MORNING CLASS:

(Back Row) Mrs. Juliana Wilson, Harvey Kentworthy, Barbara Ward, Marie Swanlund, Sandy Henderson, Keith Barker, Sharon Lemmeyer, Lori Twissell, Faye Anderson, Dale McMillan, (Centre Row) Brian Harrison, Rocky Dahl, Frank Erickson, Roger Johnson, Debbie Schultz, Lloyd Harris, Alan Hansen-Leaver, Jeff Nelson, Ted Delaw, (Front Row) Michelle Gilmohr, Darlene Harrison, Denise Lesluk, Lita Peterson, Debra Lundberg, Carol Gill, Marilynne Helm, Grace-Marie Dahl, Marlene Davidik.

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AFTERNOON CLASS:

(Back Row) Mrs. Findlay, Gary Bay, Robbie Huber, Bernhard Vontenbon, Trevor Lafrance, Darrell Munch, Tom Sator, Tom Dwyer, Ken Suberland, (Centre Row) Mark Threlk, Donald Armstrong, Lori Tott, Janne Hume, Allan Fresh, Douglas Backhouse, Mickey Pilling, (Front Row) Sandra McKeaster, Cary Jean Morrison, Brenda Sired, Darlene Rodger, Brenda Moody, Shelly Nelschke, Carol Lorne, Denise Tyler, Laurie McKend.

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Registration day for kindergarten is due on June 4, 1968. Registration day will now inform the parents of the five year old some of the activities undertaken in kindergarten. A private interview with our teachers. Mrs. Juliana Wilson and Mrs. J. Findlay will be available for you and your child during 5-5 p.m. 1. Findlay will be available for you and your child during 5-5 p.m.

Display tables will be organized by the staff of the rate some of the physical, emotional and social aims of the curriculum. We would encourage all parents of pre-school children to come and observe the aims of kindergarten. During registration a detail of form of the aims and activities can be obtained.

As of September, 1969 the local kindergarten is licensed and approved by the Department of Education. This license must be renewed each term and many specifications must be filled before the license and the approval are received.

ed from the government. Some of these specifications include: (1) Employment of a qualified teacher (2) Inspection of the room in which classes are held by the local Sanitary Inspector (Edna H. H. O'Neil) and by the Provincial Fire Commissioner. (3) Number of students in each class must not exceed twenty.

The local Kindergarten was officially started in 1961 as a nursery school. Accommodation is provided in the United Church basement and rental of this building is negotiated in the month of May preceding each kindergarten term. This kindergarten is strictly a community project.

Therefore the board works with a very restricted budget. A nominal fee of \$12.00 per month provides all supplies, teachers' wages, hall rental and other essentials. This year's \$1.00 registration fee covers an accident liability policy. A complete budget report will be available at the registration desk.

During the 1964-65 term two classes were held Monday to Friday from 9:15-11:00 a.m. or 1:15-3:00 p.m. The school term is the first week in September to the last week in May. The school is set up in such a way that youngsters may start or leave at any time during the year.

The Kindergarten Board consists of a chairman, secretary, treasurer and five board members. Each member of the board is usually a parent of a child attending kindergarten. For the 1964-65 term the co-opting board consisted of: Chairman - Mrs. H. Hume, Secretary - Mrs. H. Shimbah, Treasurer - Mrs. A. Armstrong. Board members were Mrs. L. Brown, Mrs. E. Gill, Mrs. E. Sted, and Mrs. C. Twissell. The new incoming board will be selected shortly after registration on May 6, 1968 by the members of the previous board. Members of the board are carefully chosen (Cont. on Page 7, Col. 2)

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BANNER

MAY 26, 1968

Let's Give Them Their "Freedom"

Perhaps the Quebec Separatists have a case. They seem to want out. Why can't we just let them out without further ado. Let them establish their own Republic, modeled after France's own. Let them set up their own immigration and Customs branches: use their own language for all such "benefits" as may accrue to a sovereign state.

Looking back into history we see that a War between the States was fought by our southern republic neighbor to keep a few dissident states within the framework of the national entity and constitution. History has proved since then that was a most unnecessary war. If the South had been left to fly her own flag, on her own, apart from the industrial north and the political west the world would not have flown very far. The sheer, brutal facts of national economic would have forced her to return to the Union. ... At the Union's terms.

We have a parallel in our quarrelsome Quebec neighbors. The rest of the provinces can assist as a passive ally without them. But, THEY CAN'T EXIST WITHOUT US. At the present time Montreal is the largest Canadian city. Let Quebec become a separate sovereign state and Montreal and all other large Quebec cities would test such as hotels, business establishments and factories moving westward to Ontario that the Crossing of the Red Sea will seem a minor operation in comparison.

Some have said, if we let Quebec take her own course eventually she would join up with the United States. We can say without fear of contradiction that English-speaking United States could NEVER accept the French language of French speaking Quebec. We wouldn't have either. Had we had the choice a century and a half or so ago. But we did not have a choice at that time. A few intriguing English politicians held Canada down the river by permitting Quebec to keep their French language in order to keep them in line and happy while England pursued her own policies with the American colonies. English speaking Canada was but a pawn in the game of power politics with which those then in places of political power in England were manoeuvring.

Don't let anyone ever suppose that had the outcome of the battle on the Plains of Abraham ended differently, and France had emerged vic-

SECOND SECTION

Editorially SPEAKING

Scoop's Notebook

NUMBERS

ADAM HAD 'EM.

If he didn't, who started the trend?

An sway, we just had 'em. Still have 'em for that matter.

Not having had them when we were young, though, we know our checks to simulate the Mingo and Indian said: "Don't make fun of them, you may get 'em too!"

But we didn't. Not for a quite considerable number of years, anyway.

Exposed to them then without number, without "teaching" them as we felt about of them (probably on a Friday type of law like three weeks ago.

However, another language than English should be taught in Alberta schools, even if not in the rest of Canada, beginning in elementary grades, probably at fifth or sixth grade levels, and continuing right on through high school. The time to start learning any language other than one's own is in the early grades of school. We do not suppose that the Quebec Chambers of Commerce will condescend to advocate that English be taught in all Quebec schools on a compulsory basis. That, of course, would be asking too much of the French nationalists.

However, another language than English should also be taught in Alberta schools. It need not be French; it might just as well be Spanish or Russian. The "French" line might look like an appeasement move. If so it is unworthy of the Alberta Chambers of Commerce. Perhaps we need to revive that famous Appeasement symbol, Mr. Chamberlain and his folded umbrella. Does history need to repeat herself with ANOTHER MUNICH?

We would close with noting a part of a "local talent" play we once saw. In the play the Lady of the House came excitedly on stage to announce to the Man of the House that the Maid was leaving. The Man of the House, not the other-speaking English type, replied, "If the for go, let her for want, maybe she for marry."

We would say of our Quebec friends: "If they for go... let them for want... We will also say with confidence... if they DO go, they'll be back... on our terms."

Mrs. E. H. Zolner thought for sure that her pet and keepers branch was gone for good when she lost it the other day.

But she reckoned without the Banner. She put an ad, re. the lost branch in the paper and in nothing flat Maryanne Pollard had returned it to her. Maryanne had found the branch and was waiting for someone to claim it.

Says Mrs. Zolner: "It DOES pay to advertise"

Out of hospital now is Mrs. Dave Rand whose legs were amputated in a fire from fire.

Her doctor says she will require some skin grafting.

Mrs. Joan Gray always believed it pays to advertise. She advertised the furniture in the Gray household prior to their leaving for the Old Country.

She and John had planned on attending the Chamber of Commerce dinner. But after the ad. came out, she said that would be better. Literally crawling in the window.

They sold everything right down to the hay fork.

(Cont. on Page 8, Col. 1)



D.V. Highlights

By Edith Davis

Mrs. William Nelson, of Leduc, is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kruse, for a fortnight.

Many of our citizens have been in new conveniences this spring but there is no person owner than our Journal carrier, Brian Henry. The new bike he was wearing around on Friday is a very classy looking one indeed with all the go-to-date gadgets.

Lenor Miller is home from a round of visits that took him to Vancouver, Toronto, Conway and places in between. Mrs. Elmer Nordell and family, at Langley, B.C., were particularly pleased to see Lenor and his wife.

Lyle Jonsson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sven Jonsson, was here for a few days last week. Lyle's work takes him to the far north during the winter and he seemed quite glad to be able to visit friends in his own home town.

The writer of this column does not aspire to be a Hedda Hopper but have you heard the rumour that wedding bells will ring for our world traveler, Miss Carol Lindstam, in July?

Mr. Fred Haggerty Sr. has had an operation and is resting in an Edmonton Hospital.

Howard Jerven has sold his light truck to Billy Bitts and has invested in a large truck for oil field hauling.

University is on and Gordon Tucker is home for the summer. His sisters, Darlene and Lora, were home for the week and making the family re-union complete.

Valerie Urchynson, who is working in Calgary, has a new room mate. She is Mari Lyn Liberson, formerly of Drayton Valley.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH NEWS

Dedication on May 23, Rev. Robert Talsinger from Edmonton led Central Pentecostal Tabernacle will be the featured guest speaker for three services, 11:00 a.m., 7:30 p.m., dedication service 7:30 p.m.

The Church which will be dedicated has been in existence since the beginning of 1960 and has been completed on recently. God has certainly been with us from the beginning and we are expecting the future to be even more phenomenal than has been the past.

SCOOPS NOTEBOOK

(Cont. from Page 5, Col. 3)

Dr. and Mrs. MacLure had a very enjoyable trip to the West Coast. They had some good views of some gorgeous mountain scenery over Rogers Pass.

The Dr. Cameron family were visitors in Saskatoon over the holiday weekend.



CAMPAIGN TO SUPPORT CANADIAN ATHLETES TO BRITISH EMPIRE AND COMMONWEALTH GAMES

TO GET UNDERWAY IN CANADA

Alan Jupp of Calgary named Alberta Chairman - Lt. Col. John W. Davies, C.D., President of the British Empire and Commonwealth Games Association of Canada, announced the appointments of G. Ales Jupp as Chairman of the Alberta Campaign Committee of the Association.

The VII British Empire and Commonwealth Games are scheduled to take place in Kingston, Jamaica, August 4th, to 15th, 1966. It is anticipated that between 1200 and 1600 athletes will take part in the competition.

Introduction of mechanized hoists caused the displaced workers to riot in Holland in 1928.

made up of 120 competitors and 15 officials in Swimming, Rowing, Cycling, Fencing, Shooting, Track and Field, Weightlifting and Wrestling - the largest B. E. C. team Canada has ever sent to the competition.

Colonel Davies said that the Campaign is presently underway in eastern Canada, and he is pleased with the support being far that has been received from both individuals and companies. "I know we can look forward to the Province of Alberta contributing its fair share in support of Canada's representatives to the British Empire and Commonwealth Games," said Colonel Davies.

Mr. Jupp, Public Relations Manager for Mohon's West-

ern Breweries, is a former chairman of the Parks and Recreation Board in Regina and served for some time as Commissioner of Racing and Wrestling in Regina. Prior to this present appointment with all honours, he was campaign director for the United Front of Calgary and District.

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A. He has only one chance of successful decision to be accounted true - Mary Baker Eddy

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Reports

DR. MORRISON REPORTS FROM PARLIAMENT (Hill - Vancouver-Jay, May 17, 1965).

It seems strange that the very policies for which the Conservative Government were most criticized, for example, devaluation of the Canadian dollar, encouragement to Canadian ownership are the very ones most carefully maintained by the present Liberal Government who were the form of critics.

The Conservative party's economic policies in the last eight years should have been a source of strength not

weakness. Yet it is ironic that the Liberal appear to be more successful in this field in spite of their inexperience and weakness.

It is ironic that some of the Liberal's proposals, like the Automobile plan, the Canada Development Corporation, the closing down of rail lines or even the most recent Budget are contrary to the kinds of policies Canada should be pursuing.

The Canada-United States Automotive Agreement provides for the removal of all import tariffs between the United States and Canada on shipment of new motor vehicles by automobile manufacturers and on shipment of original equipment parts, except tires and tubes, utilized in the manufacture of new motor vehicles. Replacement parts are not to be loaded under the Agreement and remain subject to present tariffs.

The Canadian Government has specified the Canadian automotive manufacturer must meet the following requirements:

1) The Canadian automotive manufacturer must at least maintain the relationship existing in the "base year" (August 1, 1963 to July 31, 1964) between the net sales value of his Canadian vehicle production and the net sales value of his total vehicle sales including imports in Canada. The proportion must be at least 75%.

Assume the automotive manufacturer has \$120 million of total sales in Canada and a net sales value of \$100 million produced in Canada. If total sales in Canada double to say \$240 million the sales value of his Canadian vehicle production must double from \$100 million to \$200 million but imports can go from \$48 million to \$148 million.

2) The Canadian automotive manufacturer must maintain the total value of the Canadian content (his production at the same level as in the base year. This does not mean that as the manufacturer increases the number of vehicles he builds in Canada, each additional vehicle must have the same Canadian content as each vehicle built the year.

In essence this Agreement relieves the Canadian automotive manufacturer from the payment of import duties of approximately \$50 million annually, requires that the total Canadian content be at the base year level and that the dollar value of production in Canada go up with total vehicle sales.

However, the dollar value of production is not meaningful as it can include imports. It is really the assembly.

The Government of the United States has made the following requirements governing duty free imports of motor vehicles and original equipment parts from Canada.

1) Motor vehicles, excluding chassis, must contain a Canadian content of at least 50% prior to January 1, 1966 and at least 30% thereafter. Including chassis it must contain at least a 30% Canadian content now.

These requirements of the United States Government effectively prohibit the duty free import into the United States from Canada of parts with a high non-Canadian content, of vehicles assembled in Canada mainly from parts manufactured outside of Canada and of foreign manufacture of vehicles.

The automobile plan is in effect a deviation from our usual multilateral approach Canada's foreign trade is the fifth largest in the world and this plan basically further binds Canada into closer ties with the United States. In effect other countries can participate in this plan. Even if it were extended to other countries, it would not aid them significantly as United States acceptance of foreign-designed cars is limited by both styles and inadequate distribution outlets. Actually it is only a United States Canadian plan. The plan tends to reduce our trading arrangements with other countries and increase our dependence on the United States. The market for Canadian commodities in Britain, for example, is in jeopardy. Unit of States experts to Canada become more competitive at the expense of British export here and Canada has a \$600 million favorable trade balance in Britain. British preference becomes relatively less important.

We should be aware of this trend and decide if we wish to pursue now a bilateral approach. What would be the ultimate effects of this on our other exports such as wheat, newspaper, aluminum and so forth? Also, any regional market scheme necessarily involves discrimination against non-participants and means an economic cost by forcing customers to buy products which they may be able to buy at a lower price outside of their region, whether it be Europe or Japan or elsewhere.

For a Government pretending defence of Canada's sovereignty the kindest thing that can be said is that this implication of loss of our sovereignty and greater dependence on the United States has not yet been realized. Mr. Gordon's mission seems to get more and more unrealistic.

There is talk of a minority government. It is so long as Bob Thompson continues to support the Liberal Government as they have on all of the votes, it is apparent that we have a Majority Government.

There were some for a walk and the paper here, growing tired, set down on a cactus. He said "Ouch!" and jumped up. The mama bear also set down on a cactus and also jumped up immediately, crying "Ouch!" The baby bear set down on a cactus, but he continued to sit. "Do you suppose," asked the mama bear, "that we're raising one of those dead end kids?"



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You've come to that time of year again when the spirit of your loved ones is in the air. Everyone knows of course, that the women in their lives have to do all the advance preparation. If your ladies in the kitchen group, produce one or more of the following ideas, they will be happy to let Dad do the heavy lifting and the meat cooking.

SKILLET POTATO SALAD
6 medium potatoes
2 stalks celery, sliced
1 medium head romaine or spinach
1 sliced radish
6 slices Maple Leaf side beef
1/4 cup bacon drippings
1 1/2 tsp. flour
1/2 cup water
1/2 cup vinegar
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. pepper
1 lb. sugar
1 peeled cucumber, sliced
2 peeled small onion, sliced
Romaine or French dressing
Cook potatoes until tender. Fry bacon until crisp. Remove 1/4 cup bacon drippings to skillet after removing bacon.

Add flour and water. Stir until smooth then add vinegar, salt, pepper and sugar, mixing until thickened. In skillet, put 1 layer of sliced potatoes, 1 each celery, romaine, broken in bite size pieces, cucumber and onion. Repeat until all are used. With spatula turn salad, taking care not to break potato slices. Sprinkle radishes and crisp bacon bits over top. Top with French or Russian dressing. Serve 6.

FRENCH BEAN SALAD
5 pkts. frozen or canned French style green beans
2 tbs. salad or olive oil
Soybean popper
1/3 cup cold water
2 tbs. minced onion
1 tbs. salt
1 tbs. granulated sugar
1/4 cup vinegar
Early in the day, cook beans, as listed directly, until just tender crisp; drain; cool. Add rest of ingredients; toss lightly. Refrigerate.

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1 tomato
1 cucumber
2 avocados
Tom with 2/3 head lettuce, torn in pieces
Immediately before serving toss with:
6 tbs. olive oil
6 tbs. ketchup
3 tbs. crushed fresh or dried mint leaves.

POTATO ONION PACKETS
Choose medium sized baking potatoes. Scrub them and rub with shortening. Cut the potatoes in 1/2 inch slices and laminate these with peeled onion slices on double thick pieces of heavy foil. Season liberally with salt and pepper and brush with fresh dressing or melted butter. Seal. These packets will take 2 hours on the barbecue and 1 1/2 hours in the boiler.

MUSTARD BUTTER BREAD
Split lengthwise one loaf of French bread. Cream 1/2 cup butter with 2 tsp. prepared mustard. 4 chopped green onions and 1/2 tsp. seasoned pepper. Spread bread with this mixture. Slash each loaf about through top every long piece. This will help bread to heat through top serving quickly. Wrap in double thickness of foil. Heat in barbecue for about 1 1/2 hours. Turn once. In the oven heat 15 minutes as baked.

SWIMMING POOL HEADLINES.
cont. from page 1, col. 5.

Your life guards Mr. Ken Mickey, and Miss Carol Lindquist are grateful to the above patrons for their respect and discipline demonstrated at the pool. We anticipate constancy in this desirable attitude.

Pool will not be open on Thursday, till 4:00 p.m. because of the Civil Defence Demonstration.

PEMBINA DISTRICT CUB RALLY.
cont. from page 1, col. 5.

Closing event for the action packed day will be the Camp fire circle with Sing-song and entertainment by the Cubs. This will get underway at 8:30 in the evening.

Pembina District Commissioner C. Gould, of Boy Scouts of Canada, urged all parents to turn out to see the boys display their talents. It is also by the rest of the Pembina District Boy Scout Commission in ensuring that a most enjoyable attention will be spent by those who attend this event.

Modern Etiquette

Q. What types of letters must always be written by hand, rather than on the typewriter?
A. Letters of condolence, formal invitations and acceptances (those written in the third person), and most letters of congratulation, such as on the occasion of an engagement, birth of a baby, etc. Also, thank-you notes for gifts received, and bread- and-butter letters.

Q. I know that bacon is generally considered a "fast food," but how about the kind that is sold in the grocery that is crumbly when attached with your fork?
A. In this case, it is perfectly proper and more practical, too, to use your fingers, just as you would in eating dry potato chips.

Q. My husband and I are the godparents of a friend's child. Now that we are expecting our own first child soon, are we obligated to give the friends to serve as godparents?
A. Not at all. Choose whom ever you wish.

Q. When the coffee or tea is very hot, is it proper to sip it with the spoon?
A. No. The spoon is for stirring only, and when that has been done, it is placed in the sugar and remains there. If you cannot do it wait until the beverage is cool enough for comfortable drinking from the cup.

Q. I have received an invitation that has been written on "informal" note paper, and a reply is requested. Is it all right for me to make this reply by phone?
A. It is perfectly all right to acknowledge any informal invitation by phone.

Q. When a man, his wife, and his mother attend church services together, how do they walk down the aisle and how do they seat themselves in the pews?
A. The mother and her daughter-in-law walk down the aisle together, followed by the man, who sits with his mother between him and his wife.

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Sun. June 6 - CAPTAIN NEWMAN Gregory Peck, Tony Curtis, Color.

By STAN REID
Jogging has been a popular sport in the west country. The "new" income from oil and gas has the landowners more life. When this became known to the past few years with better prices for beef, dairy products, crops and hay, plus extended use of fertilizers and better machinery, the grey-wooded country experienced a big change. Land prices today are a tip-off.

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Oil Turns Wasteland Into Agriculture Empire

THE EDMONTON JOURNAL, Wednesday, May 19, 1965

Recent exploration and development which spread through the west country. The "new" income from oil and gas has the landowners more life. When this became known to the past few years with better prices for beef, dairy products, crops and hay, plus extended use of fertilizers and better machinery, the grey-wooded country experienced a big change. Land prices today are a tip-off.

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Field after field where poplar trees had stood like hair on a dog's back are being cleared. Long windows of tree debris have been burned or swept the diesel torch. In varying degrees this situation exists all along the route. New fields ready for crop are appearing in large numbers west of Rimbey, and Leedale and into the Farmview district. The oil is being pumped northward from Rocky Mountain House, the former forestry town, and into the Farmview district. The oil is being pumped northward from Rocky Mountain House, the former forestry town, and into the Farmview district.

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A check with agriculturalists and farm real estate people does not indicate any hard and fast program for farmers awaiting operations. One buyer who was willing to lay out around \$20,000 for half a section could see where average hay production on 200 acres would repay him more than the annual interest on the investment, leaving enough land for some mixed farming operations. Others had visions of simple pastures for grazing beef and dairy cattle. Still others could see a comfortable mixed farming operation with ample markets for hogs, cattle, dairy products or hay.

The grey-wooded soil is well adapted for growing registered grain seed, a profitable crop in the Peace River country. It is satisfactory for hay and pasture. It falls a little short as planted as one might suppose, the prospects for a milking operation are in Alberta's farm output is impressive.

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down which are idle during winter have been pressed into service to rip out the forest like matchwood. Many other devices, hitherto the most powerful tractors of today, have taken the slow and frustrating toll out of clearing.

And the rapidly expanding science of fertilizer application seems largely in place for production from the former site. Industry is not, as a rule, a problem in the west. Alberta area. Neither is the area particularly vulnerable to hail - the storms which ravage the central and eastern regions generally form in the foothills and do little damage elsewhere.

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Communities Ready For Farming Boom

RIMBEY - The "control points" for the agricultural expansion now in progress in west central Alberta - Rocky Mountain House, Rimbey and Drayton Valley are geared for action.

These communities along the western fringe of Alberta's populated area have a lot of flavor. Over the years they have been able to roll with the punches, take advantage of whatever was available, and come ahead strongly when the opportunity arose.

Much of the economic health of the valley today is a result of the oil and gas boom in the province. And now the chance of a much steeper agricultural income boom is in farm expansion in the grey-wooded soil areas continues to grow.

However, these towns have more than just the capacity to do business. Rocky Mountain House, for instance, is one of the oldest communities in the province. It was a base for early explorations of David Thompson some 150 years ago. Its steep Main Street has been pounded by thousands of macadamized feet (it still is); many tales of fur have been told through there; millions of feet of lumber have been milled there (and still are); thousands of tons of Northwest coal have passed through the town; to the past 10 years it has been the base for giant pipeline construction, a major power line, and millions of dollars of oil exploration and development. It holds a reputation in local activity and now its some farming community is starting to build healthy.

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GATEWAY TO WEST
The Rimbey area was settled about 1800 by a group from Kansas, and the first operation of the residents of the Rimbey district has been strong agriculturally and the Rimbey River valley has become one of the most fertile in the region in Alberta. The town benefited strongly from the oil exploration and now it is right miles away from one of the largest producing plants in the province. Proceeding gas from Rimbey down the valley to Calgary. The town's main street is always busy, and only this week a fine new

chain grocery store was added. It has always been a kind of jumping off place for the west country, and all business from nearly 60 miles west comes into the town.

Drayton Valley, since it came into its own in the oil and gas development, is one of Alberta's most active small towns. Its businessmen have always led for the district and today they are taking more than their share of interest in the David Thompson Highway which will provide its residents with a more direct link with the Trans Canada Highway.

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